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Column 2, line 2, replacea "Soft-ware" with – Software – .

Column 3, line 59, after "spectra." Add the following:

[The centroid is a point identifying the center of all the vectors associated with the chosen features in n-dimensional space.]

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